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LIST OF ERRORS IN THE PATENT

1. Claim 1, column 10, line 64.
2. Claim 1, column 11, line 7.

PTO'S ERRORS

In error 2, claim 1, column 11, line 7, "a" should be deleted. The requested
correction to this claim can be attributed to the amendment filed on December 8, 2005,
on page 2, (claim 20, and renumbered as issued claim 1).

APPLICANT'S ERRORS

In error 1, claim 1, column 10, line 64, "an" should be "a". The requested correction to this claim can be attributed to the amendment as filed on December 8, 2005, on page 2, (claim 20, and renumbered as issued claim 1).

Applicants submit that errors due to Applicant's mistake are clerical, typographical, or of minor character and occurred in good faith.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 1, column 10, line 64, replace "an" with --a--.

Claim 1, column 11, line 7, delete "a".

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